

WILL OF

JOHN C. FULMORE.

In the name of God Amen

The Twenty eighth day of May in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and Twenty Nine

I John C.. Fulmore of the District of W^{ms} burgh & State of South Carolina, being through the blessing of God, in a sound State of mind & memory, but calling to mind the frail tenure of this life, & that it is appointed to all men once to die. Do ordain this my last will & testament; That is to say, I give, bequeath, & dispose of my property in the following manner, First that my funeral expences & all my Just debts be paid; Secondly I give & bequeath to my beloved wife Jane C. Fulmore Seven Negroes Named Jack, Ming^e, Will, Rose, Phillis, Jin & her Youngest child name Davy Also a life time Estate in the Land on which I live including the settlement and Houses & as much of the cleared Land as my Executors may think Necessary for the Support of her & the children, one roan Philly & riding Chair Ten head of Stock cattle to be selected by her and all of my house hold and Kitchen furniture not disposed off hereafter Thirdly It is my will & desire that the ballance of my Negroes or the funds arising from the Sale of them be equally divided among my children as they come of age, or marry If my executor think best they are fully authorized to make Sale of Some of my negroes & buy others in their place if they can, And should any one of my children die before they come of age or marry their respective ^{part} ~~part~~ at the time they would have come of age to be sold and equally divided among the survivors, and the heirs of the De^{ed} if any, also as each one of them come of age or marry they shall receive one bed ~~mf~~ & furniture & two cows & calves and should any of my children wish a ^{part} ~~portion~~ of my Land

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final settlement of my Estate which will be when the Youngest
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wife. Fourthly it is my will & desire that the ballance of my
Horses, Stock of Cattle, sheep & Hogs, Waggon, Smith Tools

plantation tools, together with all of the ballance not otherwise disposed off to be kept together on the plantation with the minors negroes for the support of my beloved wife & Children if necessary. Fifthly it is my will & desire that after my Youngest Child comes of age or marry & after the death of my wife that the Land in which she has a life time Estate my stock of different Kinds, Waggon, Smith tools, plantation tools and all of the residue of my estate yet undived shall be sold & Equally divided among my children then living & should any of them be dead is my will & desire that their children come in for their respective parts.

Sixthly & lastly I finnally appoint my Father in Law James Graham Senr. A. F. Graham Jo^s R. Fulmore, Jas. G Fulmore, John W. Alford, W^m Graham & Nelson M. Graham My Ex^{ors} to this my last will & Testament, giving them full power to sell & dispose of such of my property as they may think best for the payment of my debts, also they are fully authorized to call in appraises, make divisions, or divide my Land, or Make sale of my Land or any parts of them or any other property if necessary without going to the expence of getting an order for a sale or division And I do hereby revoke all other wills & Testaments made by me, Making & Confirming this, & no other, to be my last will & Testament.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand & Seal, the day & the Year first above written
the words (to be) are erased in the Twenty third line from the top on the first page

before Signed & Sealed.

Signed, sealed, published

proclaimed & declared, by

John C Fulmore L. S.

the S^d John C. Fulmore as

his last will & testament

in the presence of us the Subscribers